

INORGANIC DATA QUALIFIER DEFINITIONS

The following definitions provide brief explanations of the ESAT-Region 6 qualifiers assigned to results in the Data Summary Table.

- U** Not detected at reported quantitation limit.
- L** Reported concentration is between the MDL and the CRQL.
- J** Result is estimated because of outlying quality control parameters such as matrix spike, serial dilution, etc., or the result is below the CRQL.
- R** Result is unusable.
- F** A possibility of a false negative exists.
- UC** Reported concentration should be used as a raised quantitation limit because of blank effects and/or laboratory or field contamination.
- +** High biased. Actual concentration may be lower than the concentration reported.
- Low biased. Actual concentration may be higher than the concentration reported.